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In Re Application of:

Examiner: T. Brown

VAJDY et al.

Group Art Unit: 1648

Serial No.: 10/051,749

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Title: NUCLEIC ACID MUCOSAL IMMUNIZATION

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

The following extension of time is requested in order to respond to Office Action mailed July 13, 2004, for which a response was initially due on or before October 13, 2004.

X One month to November 13, 2004. The extension fee is __ \$55 _X \$110

X A check to cover the \$110.00 extension fee is attached.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16, 1.17, and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 18-1648.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: October 29, 2004

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